

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Under the Detailed Description section, please replace the fourth full paragraph with the following paragraph.

The clearcoat composition of the subject invention may be, but is not necessarily limited to, solventborne and waterborne clearcoat compositions, refinish and OEM-type clearcoat compositions, and powder and powder slurry clearcoat compositions. In any event the clearcoat composition may be either a thermosetting clearcoat composition or a thermoplastic, i.e., laquer-type, clearcoat composition. If the clearcoat composition is a thermosetting clearcoat composition, then the film that is provided is a cured, or cross-linked, film. On the other hand, if the clearcoat composition is a thermoplastic clearcoat composition, then the film that is ~~provides~~ provided is simply a set film.